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I**s** re application of :

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CORRECTION OF NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the attached amendment be made of record in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated February 24, 2004 indicated that the amendment previously filed on November 21, 2003 in the above-identified application was unacceptable for recordation because several pages did not copy correctly into the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office image file system. We submit herewith a new copy of the amendment in compliance with the notice.

Since Applicant has responded within one month from the date of the Notice, no additional fees should be required. However, if deemed necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 25-0120.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

November 21, 2003

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of August 27, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.